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Milk Cows and Milk Production

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Region	Apr. 2003	Mar. 2004	Apr. 2004	Apr. 2003	Mar. 2004	Apr. 2004	Apr. 2003	Mar. 2004	Apr. 2004
	-Thousand Head-			-Pounds-			-Million Pounds-		
Virginia	116	102	102	1,355	1,480	1,460	157	151	149
20 State Total 3/	7,800	7,717	7,719	1,627	1,658	1,630	12,693	12,798	12,584

^{1/} Monthly average includes dry cows, excludes heifers not yet fresh. 2/ Excludes milk sucked by calves. 3/ 20 State total includes AZ, CA, FL, ID, IL, IN, IA, KY, MI, MN, MO, NM, NY, OH, PA, TX, VT, VA, WA, WI.

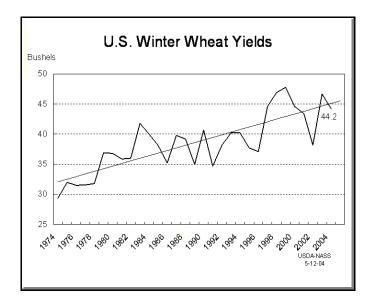
Milk Production, Disposition, and Income, 1998-2002 Revised, 2003 Preliminary 1/

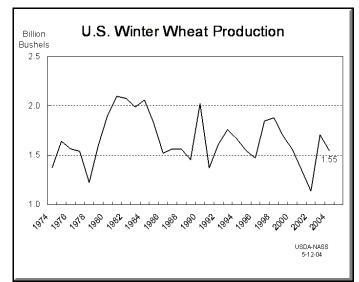
Item	Unit	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003
Milk Cows on Farms 2/	Thous.	124	121	120	118	119	113
Milk Production 3/							
Milk Per Cow	Lbs.	14,847	15,479	15,833	15,975	15,891	15,319
Milkfat Per Cow	Lbs.	540	556	579	578	580	558
Total Milk	Mil. Lbs.	1,841	1,873	1,900	1,885	1,891	1,731
Total Milkfat	Mil. Lbs.	67.0	67.2	69.5	68.2	69.0	63.0
Milk Used Where Produced							
Fed to Calves 3/	Mil. Lbs.	11	13	11	11	6	6
Milk, Cream & Butter	Mil. Lbs.	2	2	2	2	2	2
Total Used on Farm	Mil. Lbs.	13	15	13	13	8	8
Milk Marketed by Producers							
Total Milk Marketings 4/	Mil. Lbs.	1,828	1,858	1,887	1,872	1,883	1,723
Combined Price Per 100 Lbs.	Dols.	16.20	15.70	14.80	17.00	14.20	14.20
Cash Receipts	Thous. dol.	296,136	291,706	279,276	318,240	267,386	244,666
Value of Milk Used			,		,	,	·
Value of Milk Used Where Produced 5/	Thous. dol.	324	314	296	340	284	284
Gross Producer Income 6/	Thous. dol.	296,460	292,020	279,572	318,580	267,670	244,950
Value of Milk Produced 5/ 7/	Thous. dol.	298,242	294,061	281,200	320,450	268,522	245,802

1/ May not add due to rounding. 2/ Average number during year, excluding heifers not yet fresh. 3/ Excludes milk sucked by calves. 4/ Milk sold to plants and dealers as whole milk and equivalent amounts of milk for cream. Includes milk produced by dealer's own herds, and small amounts sold directly to consumers. Also includes milk produced by institutional herds. 5/ Valued at average returns per 100 pounds of milk in combined marketings of milk and cream. 6/ Cash receipts from marketings of milk and cream plus value of milk used for home consumption . 7/ Includes value of milk fed to calves.

U.S. Winter Wheat Production Down 9 Percent

Winter wheat production is forecast at 1.55 billion bushels, down 9 percent from 2003. Based on May 1 conditions, the U.S. yield is forecast at 44.2 bushels per acre, 2.5 bushels less than last year. Grain area totals 35.1 million acres, down 4 percent from last season.







Shelled Peanuts and Roasting Stock (In Shell) on Hand at Month's End, Crop of 2003-2004 1/

Month Ending		Shelled Ed	dibles 2/	Shelled Oil	Total	Roasting	
	Virginias	Runners	Spanish	Total	Stocks 3/	Shelled	Stocks 4/
	1,000 Pounds	1,000 Pounds	1,000 Pounds	1,000 Pounds	1,000 Pounds	1,000 Pounds	1,000 Pounds
Aug 2003	53,209	276,958	20,341	350,508	11,507	362,015	33,667
Sep	45,596	207,214	13,168	265,978	13,030	279,008	17,038
Oct	51,019	229,959	16,742	297,720	12,936	310,656	27,898
Nov	56,285	263,354	16,695	336,334	11,501	347,835	38,075
Dec	75,667	292,873	19,690	388,230	15,557	403,787	41,454
Jan 2004	72,036	376,056	22,402	470,494	16,094	846,588	45,364
Feb	78,170	429,847	28,656	536,673	17,078	553,751	52,633
Mar	87,001	473,644	31,126	591,771	22,939	614,710	69,229
Mar 2003	76,074	430,654	36,179	542,907	28,081	570,988	52,521

^{1/} Excludes stocks on farms. Includes stocks owned by or held for account of CCC in commercial storages. Farmer stock on net weight basis. 2/ Includes shelled edible grades, shelled oil stock, and shelled seed (untreated). 3/ Actual farmer stock, plus roasting stock, plus shelled peanuts x 1.33. 4/ Cleaned and unshelled.

Stocks of Peanuts and Specified Products at Month's End, Crop of 2003 - 2004 1/

Month	Farmer	Shelled	Roasting	Farmer Stock Equivalent			
Ending	Stock	Peanuts 2/	Stock (In Shell)	Shelled Peanuts	Total 3/		
	-1,000 Pounds-	-1,000 Pounds-	-1,000 Pounds-	-1,000 Pounds-	-1,000 Pounds-		
Aug 2003	79,508	362,015	33,667	481,480	594,655		
Sep	503,790	279,008	17,038	371,081	891,909		
Oct	1,751,676	310,656	27,898	413,172	2,192,746		
Nov	1,876,712	347,835	38,075	462,621	2,377,408		
Dec	1,713,440	403,787	41,454	537,037	2,291,931		
Jan 2004	1,514,778	486,588	45,364	647,162	2,207,304		
Feb	1,321,872	553,751	52,633	736,489	2,110,994		
Mar	1,052,320	614,710	69,229	817,564	1,939,113		
Mar 2003	1,018,396	570,988	52,521	759,414	1,830,331		

^{1/} Excludes stocks on farms. Includes stocks owned by or held for account of CCC in commercial storage facilities. Farmer stock on net weight basis. 2/ Includes shelled edible grades, shelled oil stock, and shelled seed (untreated). 3/ Actual farmer stock, plus roasting stock, plus shelled peanuts x 1.33. 4/ Cleaned and unshelled.

Total Farmer Stock Peanuts on Hand at Month's End, Crop of 2003-2004 1/

Month	CCC		Equivalent		
Ending	Uncommitted Stocks	Restricted Use 2/	Other Commercial	Total	Total Farmer Stock
	1,000 Pounds	1,000 Pounds	1,000 Pounds	1,000 Pounds	1,000 Pounds
Aug 2003	0	3/	3/	79,508	79,508
Sep	1,621	3/	3/	503,790	503,790
Oct	0	3/	3/	1,751,676	1,751,676
Nov	0	3/	3/	1,876,712	1,876,712
Dec	1,439	3/	3/	1,713,440	1,713,440
Jan 2004	1,439	3/	3/	1,514,778	1,514,778
Feb	1,439	3/	3/	1,321,872	1,321,872
Mar	0	3/	3/	1,052,320	1,052,320
Mar 2003	0	3/	3/	1,018,396	1,018,396

^{1/} Excludes stocks on farms. Includes stocks owned by or held for account of CCC in commercial storages. Farmer stock on net weight basis. 2/ Purchased from CCC for crushing or export. 3/ Not published to avoid disclosing individual operations.

Turkey Hatchery Production: Monthly Poult Placements, United States, 2002-04 1/

Month	Total All I	Breeds	Percent of	Cumulat	Percent Of	
Wichtin	2002-03	2003-04	Previous Year	2002-03	2003-04	Previous Year
	-1,000 head-	-1,000 head-	-percent-	-1000 head-	-1,000 head-	-percent-
Sep	22,670	22,171	98	22,670	22,171	98
Oct	23,811	22,805	96	46,481	44,976	97
Nov	23,987	22,155	92	70,468	67,131	95
Dec	23,977	23,424	98	94,445	90,555	96
Jan	25,389	23,273	92	119,834	113,828	95
Feb	23,833	22,905	96	143,667	136,733	95
Mar	24,902	24,215	97	168,569	160,948	95
Apr	24,938	24,667	99	193,507	185,615	96
May	25,111			218,618		
Jun	25,422			244,040		
Jul	25,330			269,370		
Aug	24,036			293,406		

^{1/} Excludes exported poults.

U.S Turkey Eggs in Incubators And Poults Placed By Region And United States

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Geographic	Eggs in Ir	cubators	Percent of Previous	Poults	Percent of Previous		
Division	May 1, 2003	May 1, 2004	Year	Apr. 1, 2003	Apr. 1, 2004	Year	
	-1,000-	-1,000-	-Percent-	-1,000-	-1,000-	-Percent-	
E N Central	5,010	4,603	92	3,700	3,444	93	
W N Central	11,899	10,772	91	8,926	9,247	104	
N & S Atlantic	9,898	9,434	95	8,051	8,155	101	
S Central	2,459	2,255	92	2,079	1,972	95	
West	2,787	2,652	95	2,182	1,849	85	
US	32,053	29,716	93	24,938	24,667	99	

^{1/} Regional placements refer to poults placed from hatcheries located in that region, and not the actual location of the birds after placement

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